

REMARKS

This application is the U.S. national stage of PCT/SE2004/001113 (the "PCT application"), filed on July 8, 2004.

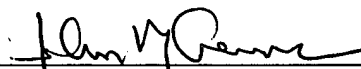
Claims 1, 2, 4-6, and 8-18 have been amended to more clearly define the invention and to place the claims in conformance with U.S. patent practice. Claims 19 and 20 have been cancelled.

Upon entry of this Preliminary Amendment, claims 1-18 are pending. No new matter has been added by any amendment herein.

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed concurrently with a new patent application. If any fee is required in connection with this communication, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

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